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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
31st March 1864.*

No. 560. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th March 1864:—

Read the following letter from G. THORNHILL, Esq., Collector of Kistna District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Bapatla, 12th March 1864, No. 27.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to bring to the notice of the Board that the town of Guntoor is now suffering greatly from scarcity of water. With a view to prevent the recurrence of this calamity the inhabitants have subscribed Rupees 2,500 for deepening the bed and repairing the bund of the Yerracheruvu or Red Tank, which sum they have requested may be supplemented by a grant-in-aid by Government of a like sum, as the whole amount estimated for restoring the tank is Rupees 5,000.

2. I have consulted the Superintending Engineer on the soundness of the project, and beg to enclose a copy of his letter.*

* Dated 7th March 1864, No. 83.

3. The Board will observe that the entire sum available from Local Funds for the current year has been expended, and that Colonel Anderson proposes to meet the cost of this work by transferring 1,500 Rupees from the allotment from 1 per cent. Income Tax Funds for the construction of Trunk Road No. 7, and 1,000 Rupees from savings on Imperial Works, the latter to be replaced by a grant from the Income Tax Funds of the current year.

4. The distress suffered by the inhabitants of Guntoor from want of water in seasons of drought is so great, that I trust the Board will accord their sanction to the project, and will obtain permission from Government for the necessary transfer of funds.

5. I venture to express a hope that this subject may receive early attention in order that the present working season may not be lost.

Ordered to be submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that the appropriation of Rupees 2,500 from the Income Tax grant, as proposed by Colonel Anderson, be sanctioned in aid of the local subscriptions to a like amount for improving the supply of drinking water to the town of Guntoor, and that the Superintending Engineer be authorized to arrange at once for the immediate execution of the necessary work within the aggregate amount of Rupees 5,000.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary*,

Transferred to the Department of Public Works.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

18th March 1864.

No. 561. ORDER THEREON, 31st March 1864, No. 835.

1. The Governor in Council approves of the measures proposed for improving the supply of drinking water to the town of Guntoor, and he authorizes the Superintending Engineer to proceed with the work at once.

2. With a view to meet the amount of the Government contribution towards the work, the Superintending Engineer is authorized to appropriate to that object the following sums:—

Rupees 1,500 from Rupees 5,000 allotted in Proceedings, dated 5th October 1863, No. 2,890, for Trunk Road No. 7.

„ 1,000 from Rupees 10,000, allotted in Proceedings 21st November 1863, No. 3,407, for Trunk Road No. 6.

2,500

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, B. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.

„ Board of Revenue.

„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

„ Accountant General.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.
dated 17th March 1864.

Read the following letter

No 27

From

G. Thornhill Esq^r,
Collector of Etah District

To

W. Foulkes Esq^r,
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to bring to the notice of the Board that the Town of Guntur is now suffering greatly from scarcity of water. With a view to prevent the recurrence of this calamity the inhabitants have subscribed Rupees 2500 for deepening the bed and repairing the bund of the Yerracheruvu or Red Tank, which sum they have requested may be supplemented by a grant in aid by Government of a like sum, as the whole amount estimated for restoring the Tank is Rupees 5000.

2. I have consulted the Superintending Engineer on the soundness of the project, and beg to enclose a copy of his letter.

Dtd 17th March 1864
No 83.

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My dear Sir,

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The Governor in Council affords

of the measure proposed for improving the
supply of drinking water to the town of
Dunlool, and he authorized the Engineer
to proceed with the work at once.

With a view to meet the amount of the Government contributions towards the work, the Subj. is authorized to appropriate to that object the follow-

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